

A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO REPEAL SECTION 1538, OF THE CODE OF 1873, AND TO ENACT A
SUBSTITUTE THEREFOR.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That section 1538
of the Code of 1873 be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in lieu
thereof:

Sec. 1538. Any person having such permit, who shall sell intoxicating liquors at a greater
profit than is herein allowed, or who shall fail to make a monthly return to the auditor, as
herein required, or shall make a false return, shall forfeit and pay to the school fund of the
county the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every violation of the provisions of this
chapter, to be collected by civil action upon his bond, before any court having jurisdiction of
the amount claimed. And it is hereby made the duty of the district attorney of the county,
upon information under oath made by any citizen of the county, to commence suit by civil
action, in any court having competent jurisdiction, in the name and for the benefit of the
school fund of the county, and prosecute the same to final judgment; and for the second
conviction under the provisions of this chapter the person convicted shall forfeit his permit
to sell.

SEC. 2. This act, being by the general assembly deemed of immediate importance, shall
take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the *Iowa State Register* and *State*
Prohibitionist, newspapers printed and published in Des Moines, Iowa.